

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 145484	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 04/24/2026
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F 0607 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Many Note: The nursing home is disputing this citation.	Develop and implement policies and procedures to prevent abuse, neglect, and theft. Based on interview and record review, the facility failed to follow its abuse policy related to prevention of potential abuse and reporting of abuse allegations for two (R2, R5) out of twelve residents reviewed for abuse. This failure had the potential to affect all 163 residents residing in the facility. The findings include: 1. R2's face sheet / admission record shows initial admit date on 12/4/17, with diagnoses not limited to Type 2 diabetes mellitus with diabetic neuropathy, Hypertensive heart disease, Primary osteoarthritis, Hypothyroidism, Major depressive disorder, Unspecified dementia, Anxiety disorder, Insomnia, Gastro-esophageal reflux disease, Hyperlipidemia. MDS (Minimum Data Set), dated 3/13/26, shows R2's cognition is moderately impaired. On 4/21/26 At 11:12 AM, R2 was alert and verbally responsive, Spanish speaking, and able to speak and understand simple English. Requested V28 (Housekeeping) in R2's room as a Spanish speaking interpreter. R2 stated 2 ladies (Certified Nursing Assistants/CNAs) pulled / pushed her into the bathroom and she fell on the floor. R2 stated she was lying on the floor. She does not know the names of the staff, but she said they were African - American. R2 stated the incident happened on Sunday (4/12/26) morning. She stated she hit her head on the wall, and she hit her right arm on the floor and had bruises. R2 showed her right thigh to surveyor and observed with purplish / greenish discoloration on right thigh. She stated another staff member came in and helped her with the 2 CNAs to get up from the floor to her bed. She stated she was transferred to the hospital and was admitted for about 4-5 days. R2 stated she saw the 2 CNAs working in the facility after the incident. She stated she feels safe now. R2 stated she felt abused when the 2 CNAs pushed her and fell on the floor. R2 stated she can ambulate with cane by herself. R2's Nurses Notes, dated 4/12/26, shows: R2 fell at approximately 8:30AM. When R2 was asked what happened, R2 stated, I was pushed to the floor by CNA. Notified the administrator immediately. R2 was transferred to the hospital for medical evaluation. On 4/21/26 At 2:02PM, V17 (LPN / Licensed Practical Nurse) stated she had not seen abuse or staff pushing to cause harm to residents in the facility. V17 stated on 4/12/26, she heard a resident screaming / crying, and she went to R2's room right away. She stated she saw R2 in the bathroom in a sitting position on the floor. V17 stated R2 claimed she was pushed to the floor, referring to 2 CNAs (V19 and V39); both CNAs were not close to R2. V17 stated they assisted R2 back to bed with 2 CNAs. She said there was a bump on the right side of her head. R2 claimed she hit the wall. V17 stated she informed nurse assigned to R2 (V16) to follow up immediately. She said R2 was able to get up from sitting to standing position with assistance from V17 and 2 CNAs (V19 and V39). She stated R2 was able to ambulate from bathroom to her bed with supervision. V17 stated she was informed by V16 that she reported R2's claim of the pushing incident to (V1) administrator because it was physical abuse allegation. V17 stated the 2 CNAs were denying R2 was pushed. (continued on next page)		

Any deficiency statement ending with an asterisk (*) denotes a deficiency which the institution may be excused from correcting providing it is determined that other safeguards provide sufficient protection to the patients. (See instructions.) Except for nursing homes, the findings stated above are disclosable 90 days following the date of survey whether or not a plan of correction is provided. For nursing homes, the above findings and plans of correction are disclosable 14 days following the date these documents are made available to the facility. If deficiencies are cited, an approved plan of correction is requisite to continued program participation.

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F 0609 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Few	suspend staff pending investigation or removed from resident's care area immediately to keep resident safe. V1 stated the goal of the facility is for all residents to be free from abuse. He stated an example of physical abuse is hitting or intentional pushing. He stated R2 had a fall incident on 4/12/26, R2 was attempting to feed her roommate, V19 and V39 attempted to redirect R2, and she became aggressive. R2 attempted to strike V19, R2 pulled her arm away, and that's how R2 fell. V1 stated R2's son came to the facility and claimed that somebody hit his mom. V1 stated any abuse allegation should be reported to the State Agency within 2 hours and final report should be within 5 business days. V1 stated the purpose of reporting to the State Agency to make sure facility follows regulations. He stated he was not aware of R2's claim that she was pushed to the floor by V19 and V39 and the allegation was not reported to the State Agency. On 4/23/26 at 11:08AM, V2, (DON / Director of Nursing), stated their Abuse Coordinator is the Administrator and she is the designee when V1 is not around in the facility. She stated if there an abuse allegation involving the staff &ndash; suspend pending investigation or remove staff from residents' care area to keep resident safe or prevent possible abuse. She said an example of physical abuse is hitting or intentional pushing. V2 stated their goal is for all residents be free from abuse. She stated if there is an abuse allegation, it should be initially reported to the State Agency within 2 hours, and final report should be submitted in 5 days. V2 stated an abuse allegation is reported to the State Agency to make agency aware of the alleged abuse. Reviewed R2's EHR (Electronic Health Record) with V2 and read nurse's notes on 4/12/26: R2 stated, I was pushed to the floor by CNA. V2 stated R2 claimed she was pushed is an alleged physical abuse and should be reported to state agency. Facility's reportable for the month of April 2026 showed no abuse allegation reports for R2 submitted to IDPH (Illinois Department of Public Health). Facility's Abuse and Retaliation Policy prevention program, dated 1/2026, shows: Employee of this facility who have been accused of abuse will be removed from resident contact immediately. The employee shall not be permitted to return to work until the results of the investigation have been reviewed by the administrator, and it is determined that any allegation of abuse is unsubstantiated. Any incident or allegation involving abuse will result in investigation. When an allegation of abuse has been made, the administrator or designee, shall notify the Department of Public Health's regional office immediately by telephone or fax. Public Health shall be informed that an occurrence of potential abuse has been reported to the administrator and is being investigated. Within five working days after the report of the occurrence, a complete written report of the conclusion of the investigation, including steps the facility has taken in response to the allegation, will be sent to the Department of Public Health. 2.R5's Minimum Data Set (MDS) assessment, dated 10/27/25, shows a BIMS (Brief Interview for Mental Status) of 15, which means R5 is cognitively intact. R5's comprehensive care plan does not include an individualized plan of care related to potential abuse. Initial abuse reportable sent to IDPH on 4/21/26 at 2:58 PM; date and time of incident 4/7/26 at 5:00 AM. On 4/21/26 at 11:34 AM, R5 stated there is a nurse [V45 (Licensed Practical Nurse/LPN) who works night shift on weekends. R5 stated that after she had fallen onto the floor mattress beside the bed, she pressed the call light, V45 entered her room and kicked her in the lower back while telling her to get up. R5 stated the incident occurred around 1:00 AM. R5 stated no one witnessed the alleged incident because she was alone at the time with V45. R5 stated other staff later came into the room, including two male CNAs [Certified Nursing Assistants] and one female CNA. R5 stated she informed the male CNA that V45 had kicked her on her back. R5 does not remember the name of the CNA. R5 (continued on next page)		

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NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Elevate Care Chicago North		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 2451 West Touhy Avenue Chicago, IL 60645	
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F 0760 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Few	Ensure that residents are free from significant medication errors. Based on observation, interview, and record review, the facility failed to ensure accurate medication administration by failing to verify the correct insulin dose prior to administration for one (R5) of three residents reviewed for medication administration. Findings Include: R5's clinical records show an admission date of 10/10/25. R5's order summary report, dated 4/21/26, reads: Insulin Lispro Injection Solution 100 UNIT/ML (Insulin Lispro) Inject 12 unit subcutaneously one time only for DM [Diabetes Mellitus] for 1 Day. R5's progress notes dated 4/21/26 at 12:09 PM reads in part: [R5] blood sugar was checked-460, [V74] notified, ordered to give one time dose of 12 unit of insulin lispro. R5's care plan documents in part: (Date initiated 10/29/25) R5 has Diabetes Mellitus, on insulin. Diabetes medication as ordered by doctor. On 4/21/26 at 11:51 AM, a medication administration observation was conducted with V15 (Licensed Practical Nurse). V15 obtained R5's blood glucose reading of 460 and contacted V74 (Nurse Practitioner), who ordered Lispro insulin 12 units. At 12:05 PM, V15 prepared the insulin and presented it to V72 (Assistant Director of Nursing) for verification. V15 also showed the syringe to the surveyor. There were 13 units of insulin in the syringe. V15 then entered R5's room and was about to administer the insulin to R5. V15 and V72 were asked to recheck the dose in the syringe. V72 re-verified the syringe and removed 1 unit of insulin, correcting the dose to the ordered 12 units. On 4/21/26 at 2:05 PM, V2 (Director of Nursing) V2 stated insulin is a significant medication because it can cause adverse reactions. V2 stated if insulin is given improperly, the resident may become hypoglycemic or hyperglycemic. V2 stated hypoglycemia means a low blood sugar level from the resident's baseline. V2 emphasized the importance of following physician orders when administering medication to prevent adverse reactions. V2 stated after medication administration, the nurse documents in the MAR (Medication Administration Record) that the medication was given. The facility's INJECTABLE MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION policy reads: To administer medications via subcutaneous, intradermal and intramuscular routes in a safe, accurate, and effective manner.		